

IN THE DRAWINGS

The attached drawing sheet includes changes to Fig. 3. This sheet, which includes Fig. 3, replaces the original sheet including Fig. 3.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable consideration of this application, as presently amended, is respectfully requested.

By the present Preliminary Amendment the specification is amended to correct minor informalities.

Further, a replacement Figure 3 is submitted herein that properly labels element "3", which was inadvertently labeled "2" in the original Figure 3.

The presently submitted amendments are not believed to raise any issues of new matter.

The present application is believed to be in condition for a full and thorough examination on the merits. An early and favorable consideration of the present application is hereby respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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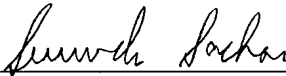
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